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DANIELS ORDERS WACO GUARD COMPANIES RECRUITED TO FULL WAR STRENGTH

W.O.W. TO TRY MANCHESTER CHARGES AP. 2

Supreme Guardian of Woodmen Circle Must Face Lodge Court Soon.

CAMP FURNISHES EXCITEMENT

Lodgemen in Yesterday's Session Work Personal Feelings to High Pitch.

Defense of Mrs. Emma B. Manchester, supreme guardian of the Woodmen circle, and explanations of her conduct as supreme guardian took up the entire morning of the joint session of the Woodmen of the World and the Woodmen circle held yesterday. During the morning personal feeling reached a high level. Mrs. Manchester is charged with "mismanagement of a frivolous nature," as she terms it, of the affairs of the circle since her assumption of the office as supreme guardian. None but delegates were allowed to the convention hall and even sovereign delegates were asked to leave the hall.

The trial of Mrs. Manchester will be held in Memphis before the supreme forest, the highest governing body of the Woodmen circle, April 2, and it is due to this trial that the feeling in the state convention held here reached such a high pitch.

The morning was largely taken up with the addresses of Mrs. Manchester in defense of her conduct in certain matters of business pertaining to the order and by W. A. Fraser, sovereign commander of the Woodmen of the World, who explained the nature of these charges.

Mrs. Manchester Talks.

"The one purpose of the fight in the convention here is the effort to put me entirely out of the Woodmen circle," said Mrs. Manchester yesterday in an interview with a News representative, "and to separate the two organizations, and to separate the two organizations does not enter into the fight at all."

Mrs. Manchester said that she was not in favor of divorcement of the two orders and that as long as she was supreme guardian of the circle and had a vote in the affairs there would be none.

Is 80 Years Old.

Mrs. Manchester is nearing 80 years and has been supreme guardian of the circle for the past eighteen years. She was one of the charter members of the Woodmen circle and has had more to do with the initial upbuilding of the order probably than any other one person living. She has been a member of the circle about twenty-three years. Mrs. Manchester is a large, gray-haired woman, a forceful speaker and has a strong personality.

"Until the present clouds began to lower the workings of the two bodies of Woodcraft were harmonious and peaceful," said Mrs. Manchester, "and I am going to fight as long as there is any fight left in me to uphold the circle and I am going to expend every energy in keeping it to its present high standard."

Replies to Allegations.

In an address before the joint meeting held yesterday morning, Mrs. Manchester replied to allegations that she had made an effort to split the two bodies, and turning to Sovereign Fraser said:

"However hard, Mr. Fraser, you may fight to prevent the separation of the two orders, you can never fight harder than I can and am now doing to prevent this separation."

Mrs. Manchester said that the fight in this convention was only a preliminary of the real fight that was to come April 2 in Memphis, at which time she will be interrogated concerning the methods she has used in the business of the circle. At this time Mrs. Manchester will be tried before the supreme forest, the highest law body of the circle. This supreme forest is composed of delegates from each state to a central body and on the decision of this body rests the future of Mrs. Manchester in the work of the circle.

The convention had passed a resolution the day before barring any but delegates to the head camp, and even delegates to the sovereign convention were barred.

New Mexico Woman Barred.

Mrs. Sharpe, sovereign delegate from New Mexico, was asked to leave the hall by the head consul, who explained the resolution passed the day before, and insisted that Mrs. Sharpe leave the hall on her honor as a member of the circle. This lady did after the chair ruled that she should not be allowed to attend the meeting.

San Antonio Chosen.

San Antonio was selected as the meeting place of the convention of the Woodmen of the World and the Wood-

Today's Weather

Voluntary Forecast by Isidor Block.



EVERY GERMAN SUSPECT IS OF COURSE AN EDUCATED AND A MOTHER AS WELL AS A DAUGHTER.

Local Readings. Maximum temperature \$3 at 4 p.m.; minimum 49 at 6 a.m.; barometer 30; humidity 40; wind passage 172 miles, fastest 14 miles an hour at 2:50 p.m.

Government Forecast.

East Texas—Friday partly cloudy, moderate temperature; Saturday unsettled, somewhat colder in northwest portion.

West Texas—Friday fair, moderate temperature; Saturday fair, colder.

MAY 10TH TRADE TRIP IS PLANNED

Y. M. B. L. IN SESSION LAST NIGHT ANNOUNCES COMMITTEES AND OTHER ARRANGEMENTS.

Action was taken to map out a detailed schedule for the May 10 trade trip, in a meeting of the Y. M. B. L. trade trip committee held at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. A sub-committee was appointed to hand in details to the club directors at the session next Thursday night. The sub-committee chairman is Frank Trau.

A band will be carried along on this trip and a number of special stunts are being arranged for the benefit of the trippers and the public in the towns visited. It is expected that the trip this year will be very successful on account of the prosperous condition of the entire country. All plans are being made several weeks in advance in order that the business men who wish to make the trip will have plenty of time to make the necessary arrangements.

F. E. McPeak will have charge of the pickets; W. H. Hoffmann, music; Frank J. Trau, schedule; E. A. Miller, eats on the train; Perry A. Duncan, eats out of town; John Wright, transportation and J. W. Carlin, publicity.

Woodmen Secrets from Air Ride, Says Waco Birdman

"We are going to fly high today at 9 o'clock, Dr. Block permitting," says Captain Charles Theodore, the Waco birdman. Captain Theodore says that he will carry a passenger with him on the air for a long time and give the people who chance to see him in several thrillers.

J. E. Porter of Waco will be the passenger and according to the captain, says that he expects to fly even higher than he did in his political race of the past year. Both men say that it is their intention to hover over the convention and learn all the Woodmen secrets.

Prominent Texas Woman Dies Thursday at Ft. Worth

Mrs. Austin, the mother of Mrs. Nannie Webb Curtis, died in Fort Worth yesterday morning. Mrs. Curtis was with her mother at the time of her death, having been with her for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Webb of Waco left immediately for Fort Worth. Mrs. Austin is survived by her husband, who is a retired Baptist preacher and a brother of Stephen F. Austin of Texas history fame.

The Frances Willard union, with which Mrs. Curtis has long been identified, sent messages of condolence to the bereaved family, together with a handsome floral offering.

Miss Sophia Harris Dies in Waco Home Thursday

Miss Sophia Harris died at her home at 524 South Tenth street, at 5:40 p.m. last night. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Sarah Harris, and sister, Mrs. J. Wolf, both of Waco; also by three brothers, Dave Harris of Waco, Morris Harris of Mart, and Charles Harris of Chicago. The funeral will be held from the home at 2 p.m. today. Rabbi L. Levy will officiate. Interment will be at Hebrew Rest.

Motor Church Car Here To Be Seen at Square

A church on wheels came to Waco yesterday in the form of a motor chapel car in charge of Rev. P. A. Heckman, rector of St. Mary's church, Temple. The car was exhibited yesterday at the square and will be there again today, according to Rev. Mr. Heckman's announcement last night. The car contains everything of the church, stated Rev. Mr. Heckman last night.

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TEXAS SOLON WOULD OUST ALL POLITICS

PRO-WAR PARTY PLANNING DRIVE UPON PACIFISTS

By Associated Press.

New York, March 29.—In an effort to offset the effect of the pacifist demonstration at Washington next week, the American Rights League and other organizations undertook today to organize a "Pilgrimage of Patriotism" to attend the opening of the extra session of congress. A special train was chartered to leave this city Sunday morning.

Representative Garner Takes Stand for Non-Partisan Session Monday.

FACTIONAL FLAGS ARE HOISTED

Republicans Are Said to Be Divided Along Many Different Lines.

By Associated Press. Washington, March 29.—Representative Garner of Texas, member of the ways and means committee, declared today that he favored eliminating politics in congressional meetings now being held in preparation for the extra session beginning Monday.

Meanwhile factional battle flags were hoisted tonight in both democratic and republican camps in preparation for the conferences tomorrow and Saturday over house organization plans.

The republicans are divided along many lines. While it now is generally conceded that the party will have a full ticket in the field, the progressive, bi-partisan, temporary organization and anti-Mann factions are expected to have much to say before a program is agreed upon.

Demos Face Problem.

Democrats face a serious problem in the announced opposition of Representative Gallivan of Massachusetts, a "wet" insurgent, credited with a score of followers to the organization plan for re-seating old committee chairmen and advancing other committee men to chairmanships under the seniority rule.

Arriving here today Mr. Gallivan announced that while he would support Speaker Clark for re-election, he would not go into the democratic caucus, would oppose the democratic organization plan and would further urge the naming of several republicans to committee chairmanships. Thus far he has not conferred with any other so-called insurgents but he said tonight he thought "one or two of the boys" would be with him in his fight.

Attacks Southerners.

"I am unalterably opposed to the southern democrats remaining in the saddle throughout the coming congress," Mr. Gallivan said. "They have had virtually all the choice chairmanships in the past and they should not have them again. This is no time for one section of the country to be controlling the house."

Fears that enough democrats may follow the Massachusetts member to upset party plans are based largely upon his success during the last session in defeating a judgeship retirement bill desired by southern democrats.

Democrats will caucus tomorrow afternoon and a complete organization plan will be worked out.

G. O. P. "27" To Meet.

The republican committee of twenty-seven will meet tomorrow afternoon and prepare its final recommendations to be presented to the republican conference on Saturday. It already has adopted a resolution recommending that a committee of fifteen be headed by the speaker name the committees. This and other recommendations doubtless will be reported to the membership.

Representative Martin, progressive- protectionist of Louisiana, who many think may cast the deciding vote for speaker, signalized his return to Washington today by refusing to say whom he would support. Mr. Martin also appeared to think Representative Randall of California, prohibitionist, had attempted to speak for him when he said recently four or five independents would support Speaker Clark and he entered a vigorous denial of the right of any one to speak for him. He also made public a telegram he said Mr. Randall sent him last Sunday announcing Mr. Mann's coalition proposal and suggesting action by the independents "to secure credit for organization."

Gigantic Lumber Purchase Made by Orange Man

By Associated Press.

Orange, March 29.—E. F. Bonner and R. W. Wier, Houston lumbermen, today purchased the pine timber off 88,000 acres of land from the Lutcher and Moore Lumber company of this city. The consideration is said to be nearly \$12,000,000. The lands are situated in Sabine and Newton counties.

MEXICAN EMBASSY COMING.

By Associated Press.

Laredo, March 29.—Ignacio Bonillas, Mexican ambassador to the United States arrived at Nuevo Laredo, opposite here, tonight. He expects to cross the border tomorrow and depart at noon for Washington to take up his duties.

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BANK MONEY AT CORPUS.

By Associated Press.

Corpus Christi, March 29.—Half a million dollars was deposited in a Corpus Christi bank today to pay Mexican government soldiers at Matamoros, Nuevo Laredo and other points along the border east of El Paso. The money, \$150,000 in gold and \$350,000 in American bank notes, was brought here today in a launch in charge of Mexican Consul G. Botello, United States Deputy Marshal Murphy and a number of guards.

U. S. GERMANS LOYAL.

By Associated Press.

Newark, N. J., March 29.—The German Hospital association today tendered to the government the use of its hospital with its staff of nurses and doctors.

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HOLLWEG TRIES TO PUT BLAME ON AMERICA

Addresses Reichstag Declaring Germany Does Not Want War With U. S.

TAKES UP RUSSIAN REVOLT

Says Czar Would Not Listen to German Advice and Revolt Followed.

By Associated Press.

Berlin, by Wireless to Sayville, March 29.—"Germany never had the slightest intention of attacking the United States of America and does not have such intention now. It never desired war against the United States of America and does not desire it today," was the declaration made by the German imperial chancellor, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, in a speech in the Reichstag today. The chancellor made statements concerning Germany's policy toward the United States and Russia.

"How did these things develop?" asked the chancellor in speaking of the relations with the United States. He then proceeded to answer the question by reviewing the causes which led up to the German use of submarines in unrestricted warfare.

Was in Self-defense.

Declaring that Germany had undertaken unrestricted submarine warfare for its defense, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg said:

"If the American nation considers this a cause for which to declare war against the German nation with which it has lived in peace for more than one hundred years, if this action warrants an increase of bloodshed, we shall not have to bear the burden of responsibility for it."

Concerning German relations with the United States, the chancellor, whose speech is reported by the Overseas News agency (the German official news bureau), said:

Watches Congress.

"Within the next few days the directors of the American nation will be convened by President Wilson for an extraordinary session of congress in order to decide the question of war or peace between the American and German nations.

"Germany never had the slightest intention of attacking the United States of America and does not have such intention now. It never desired war against the United States of America and does not desire it today."

"How did these things develop?" More than once we told the United States that we made unrestricted use of the submarine weapon expecting that England could be made to observe in her policy of blockade the laws of humanity and international agreements. This blockade policy, this I expressly recall has been called 'illegal and indefensible' (the imperial chancellor here used the English words) by President Wilson and Secretary of State Lansing. Our expectations, which we maintained during eight months, have been disappointed completely; England not only did not give up her illegal and indefensible policy of blockade, but uninterruptedly intensified it. England together with her allies arrogantly rejected the peace offers made by us and ourselves."

Dealing with Russia, the imperial chancellor said that the Russian emperor had not listened to the German emperor's advice no longer to oppose the justified wishes of his nation for reform.

"Had Russia's attention been concentrated on internal reconstruction," said the chancellor, "there would have been no room for the restless policy of expansion which finally led to this war."

Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg emphatically denied that the German emperor or Germany was desirous of restoring "czardom."

The imperial chancellor referred to Germany's attitude toward the recent events in Russia and recalled in former times the honored friendship between the two countries. He said, however, that this friendship had ended with the death of Alexander II.

Emperor Nicholas had more and more drifted into the entente's wake and into pan-Slavic currents and had finally become a partisan of the war party, omnipotent under the Russian autocratic regime.

"Thus," said the chancellor, "in the fateful days of July, 1914, the Russian emperor declined to listen to the appeal made by the German emperor. One of the legendary reports disseminated by our enemies, is that it was the German government which assisted the autocratic reactionary party policy in Russia against all the movements of liberty."

"When Russia in 1905 by the Japanese," said the chancellor, "was defeated in the war with Japan, the German emperor declined to listen to the appeal made by the Japanese emperor. One of the legendary reports disseminated by our enemies, is that it was the German government which assisted the autocratic reactionary party policy in Russia against all the movements of liberty."

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HEAR WHITLOCK TO BE PRISONER WITHIN GERMANY

By Associated Press.

London, March 29.—An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Amsterdam says:

"Frontier correspondents hear from Brussels that the American legation is completely isolated and under a guard of German police. It is rumored that the Germans contemplate taking the man (Brand Whitlock) and his staff to Germany.

"The Americans in Brussels have been notified that they cannot

before beginning the actual writing of his message to congress and it is expected that the German situation will be dealt with fully. He is hopeful that no time will be lost in organizing the house, so that he may deliver his address as soon as possible after the extra session convenes.

The attitude of both congress and public opinion is sought in order to represent both as fully as possible.

The president is anxious not to transgress the constitutional prerogatives of congress as the war-making body. It is realized that in the ultimate analysis, regardless of what the president may recommend, the responsibility for decision rests there.

Public Opinion Scanned.

Public opinion, it was said here, is indicated by clippings from newspapers in all parts of the country as unmistakably favoring decisive action. Belligerency is not confined to the Atlantic and Pacific sections if opinions gathered by the administration are a true index. Demand for action on the part of congress and the president comes also from the interior section between the Alleghenies and the Sierras. The views reported by some mid-western congressmen as to the apathy of their constituencies are considered more local than general.

The greater point under consideration present is whether Germany has not unmistakably shown through a long succession of violations of international law that the United States must definitely unite with the liberal democracies of the world against the four most complete autocracies both for its present and its future safety. All hope has been lost as shown in the note to Germany as to the treaty of 1828 in the good faith of the present German rulers. The Belgian invasion and deportations, the ruthless submarine warfare, the attempts to embroil neutral countries in plots and the general conduct of the war have convinced many officials that the German military system is a permanent danger to the world's peace.

Spy Plots Renewed.

German plots in this country, culminating in the Zimmerman note to ally Japan and Mexico in war against this country are regarded as evidence of the evil of the general system. The administration has much material not yet made public and it is understood that the complete text of the Zimmerman note has not been published. Further disclosures of intrigues may be expected at any time.

Germany through the coolness with which she treated the president's proposal to name peace terms is felt to be the greater source of danger to world peace. Some officials here who felt her original offer was insincere and merely a play for domestic consumption believe her refusal to state terms is proof of that contention.

Full co-operation with the allies, therefore, is generally favored as a necessity to America's future safety. German victory now, it is said, might lead to a direct attack on this country later and would at least necessitate extensive armament. A deadlock at the same time would be tantamount to a German victory on the basis that while after peace the German union would become stronger, the entente might very easily fall apart and Germany be left relatively world supreme.

Germany Expects Draw.

Military authorities believe that the most Germany expects now is a draw. Why she seems so indifferent to this country's entrance into the war causes much interest. Some officials have predicted for more than a year that Germany would attempt to force this nation into the conflict at the last moment, first in order that her autocracy might save its face before the people by surrendering to the whole world, and secondly, because this country would probably be a generous enemy. The last objection to America's participation was removed with the severance of relations when it ceased to be possible for America to get funds to Germany and thus sustain the price of the mark.

Character of War Undecided.

With the United States drawn into the war through no desire of her own and convinced that the war is a war of self protection and self preservation the exact manner of American participation is undecided. The sending of an army to Europe or the provision of a huge credit of from one billion to five billion dollars are both being discussed. As for military participation nothing has been determined and decision must await actual entrance into the war. Some feel that a large army owing to need of equipment and diversion of shipping would be more of a hindrance than a help. Munitions manufacture where the United States could be of most value will be expedited to the greatest possible degree.

Alliances Feared.

General alliances with the entente nations are not contemplated. The United States plans to maintain its freedom of action just as far as possible. In a naval and military sense there will be, of course, full co-operation, but beyond that the country will not assume unlimited liability for the allies' aims. The United States will seek as far as possible to alleviate the bitterness of the present war and prevent its ending from generating future wars.

Chicago Meat Stores Attacked by Food Rioters

By Associated Press.

Chicago, March 29.—Eight meat markets in the West Side Ghetto were attacked by a crowd of several hundred men and women in a food riot this afternoon. Enraged by the high prices demanded by the storekeepers for their products, the rioters attacked the owners, seized quantities of meat and threw it into the street. Women smashed store windows and overturned counters. Twenty-seven women and three men were arrested.

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ARMY AND NAVY WAR PREPARATIONS GO AHEAD FAST

DEPARTMENT HEADS BUSY ARRANGING FOR DETAILS IN EVERY DEFENSE IN NATION.

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 29.—Plans to forward further preparedness measures for the army today began to assume definite form.

How an increased army force may be promptly secured for the present emergency as well as universal training as a national policy were discussed by President Wilson with Senator Chamberlain of Oregon, chairman of the senate military committee. Senator Baker and administration leaders in congress considered legislation needed immediately for the military establishment.

Senator Chamberlain told the president that he believed the executive has authority without further action by congress to raise an army of more than seven hundred thousand men by increasing the regular army to war strength and calling out all the national guard at war strength, with cooperation from state executives.

There was no intimation that the president was considering such a step immediately but the whole field of measures necessary to secure a larger force was discussed.

Budget to Congress.

For present needs the war department, Secretary Baker said, had decided to submit to congress a budget containing virtually the same provisions as the regular army appropriation bill which failed at the last session.

Estimates for the expense of an enlarged army or any emergency activities will be presented later. This decision coincides with the house plan to re-enact the appropriation bill without change and send it at once to the Senate.

Senator Chamberlain also agreed to expedite the bill in the Senate. To this end he said he would not again offer his universal training bill as a rider if it would delay prompt action on the supply measure.

The conference between the president and Senator Chamberlain was primarily to discuss the senator's universal training plan. He asked the president to endorse the general principle of compulsory training in his forthcoming message to congress. The German authorities invited the American members to remain and gave written assurances that they might leave whenever they desired to give up the work.

"There appears to be some misapprehension as to the delay in the withdrawal of American members of the commission for relief in Belgium. Shortly after the break in relations with Germany negotiations were instituted with a view to providing for the continuation of the relief work. The German authorities invited the American members to remain and gave written assurances that they might leave whenever they desired to give up the work. It was stipulated, however, that they should upon relinquishing their work remain for a period of two or three weeks in some German city on their way to Switzerland in order to prevent the transmission of any fresh information. This condition was accepted by the relief commission.

"It is not anticipated that the American diplomatic or consular officers will be detained during this period as written assurances have been received through the Spanish government that they will be permitted to proceed directly to Switzerland."

Chamberlain Sees Wilson.

After leaving the white house the senator said he was "still hopeful" of administration endorsement of his measure and also expressed optimism over prospects of passage by the Senate of some form of universal training measure.

Several senators, he said, who formerly opposed the plan, now favor it.

Senator Chamberlain expects to make several important amendments to his bill with the idea of increasing the number of trained soldiers it would produce in a short period. He proposes to raise the age limit of youths subject to training from nineteen to twenty years, to secure more mature men and to begin the training periods sooner than provided in the tentative bill, which proposes that about 500,000 youths be trained annually with six months' continuous service.

Another amendment, Senator Chamberlain said, would be to create thirty divisions in the country for the segregation of the training work with facilities for training an army division of from 22,000 to 27,000 men in each divisional camp. While some of the divisions, Senator Chamberlain thought, would have larger bodies under training than others, he believed at least 500,000 young men would thus be secured.

To Cost \$156,000,000.

The Oregon senator impressed upon the president that his plan would not entail the enormous expense of the army general staff training bill. He estimated that the annual cost of training 500,000 men would be roughly \$156,000,000.

As to the measures necessary for increasing the army in emergency Senator Chamberlain said that under existing law the president is authorized to increase the standing army to its war strength of 270,000 or with auxiliaries aggregating a regular force of about 300,000. The war strength of the national guard was estimated at about 440,000, with all forces fully enlisted. Thus combined the senator said a trained army of nearly three-quarters of a million men could be provided without action by congress.

Will Not Meddle.

"How the Russian nation wants to construct its home is only the business of the Russian nation and we shall not meddle with it. The only thing that we hope is that in Russia foundations may develop that will make her the strong and firm bulwark of peace."

With reference to Chinese relations the chancellor said:

"Our relations with China had always been of the most friendly nature, and if these relations have actually been terminated by the Chinese government I need not tell you that this is not by the free resolve of the Chinese government, but that it has acted under pressure of our enemies."

"Financial difficulties which could not be mastered during the war by China also played a fair part in it. Our enemies object also is to destroy our trade in China and appropriate without labor what has been established there during many years by German efficiency and German industry."

The result of the war—as I confidently hope—will give us the opportunity to rebuild what has been destroyed and to rebuild it at the expense of our enemies. Then our friendly relations with China will revive provided that China will preserve until then the necessary forces of resistance against the greed and egotism of her present protectors."

DANIELS IN TALK TO MIDSHIPMEN LAUDS U. S. HEROES

By Associated Press.

Annapolis, Md., March 29.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels today held up to nearly 200 midshipmen who received their diplomas from him the record of the heroes of the navy, particularly the late Admiral Dewey, and referred them to American seafighters as shining marks toward which to strive.

The graduates were told by the secretary that the nation expected them to be ready "for the day that may come—how soon, who can tell?—when upon your coolness and knowledge and leadership and ability to shoot straight may depend the fate of a decisive naval engagement."

Called to the colors three months ahead of time because of the stranded international situation, the 183 members of the class, which would not ordinary circumstances have graduated until June, will before night be on their way to take up the duties as ensigns.

NEWS QUARANTINE ON BELGIAN RELIEF WAS ANTICIPATED

STATE DEPARTMENT NOT SERIOUSLY CONCERNED OVER CABLES FROM EUROPE.

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 29.—Subjection of Americans of the Belgian Relief Commission to a "news quarantine" prior to their departure from behind the German lines was explained at the department today, as a proper course agreed upon when the relief workers were invited to remain in Belgium.

Reports that Brand Whitlock, minister to Belgium and other diplomatic officers also would be detained were not credited as assurances have been received to the contrary. The department issued this statement:

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"The shortcoming had been made good by a change in the employment of men in the army itself and by using behind the lines to a greater extent than ever before men unfit to go on the firing line. The shortage had been made good further by the employment of women behind the lines, but nevertheless the bill was absolutely necessary. The chancellor said it would enable the military authorities to deal with one million men and they estimated that at least 100,000 men would be available within the next three months. They were proceeding on the principle that every fit man should go on the firing line.

Casualties Not Serious.

The chancellor added he was thankful to say one of the reasons why the falling off in recruits had not had a disastrous result as it might have had was that the casualties thus far this year had been less than expected. He continued:

"We all know, however, that at the time of great fighting, with terrible casualties which is in front of us, it might well happen that the whole value of this year's campaign might depend on our being able to drive home any success we were fortunate enough to achieve. It might well be that a falling off in recruits might make a difference between really and almost decisive results and victory which would have nothing like the same effect. At this moment the morale of our troops in France is splendid. They have more confidence than ever. They are more than a match for their enemies. It is the duty of the country to let them see their numbers are going to be kept up to the fullest extent."

A member of the house suggested that an appeal for recruits be made to Ireland. John Dillon interjected:

"If it had been left in our hands we would have given you another hundred thousand men."

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another war and the resulting revolution had been involved in distress, it was the German emperor who on account of personal relations of friendship, urged no longer to oppose the justified wishes of his nation for reforms. Emperor Nicholas preferred other roads. In Russia had attention been concentrated on internal reconstruction there would not have been room for the relentless policy of expansion which finally led to this war and which has changed the old regime so much that now it is a hard event to do justice to natural human pity for the downfallen house of the rulers.

"Nobody can tell how things shall develop but our attitude toward Russian events is clearly outlined. We shall also follow the principle that we never meddle with the internal problems of other countries. It is now maliciously reported that Germany wants to annihilate the hardly conquered freedom of the Russian nation and that the German emperor wants to re-establish the rule of the czar over his enslaved subjects. All these are merely lies and slander as I here expressly state."

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PLAN DEFENSE ORGANIZATION.

Washington, March 29.—To co-ordinate preparedness measures, each of the government departments, it was announced today, will appoint a special representative to sit daily with the council of national defense. Eight already named met for the first time with the council today.

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HOUSE OF COMMONS TOLD MILITARY NECESSITY COLLECTING PICK UPS.

By Associated Press.

London, March 29.—A bill giving the military authorities power to order re-examination of men previously rejected for military service and also of men who already have served and been discharged in consequence of wounds or illness was moved in the house of commons today on second reading by Chancellor Bonar Law. The chancellor said the bill was an absolute necessity owing to the military situation.

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Month-End Clean-Up Sale

Two Days of Record Breaking Values at Goldstein-Migel

All Goods Charged on May Bills

All charge purchases during this big Sale will be carried over to next month's bills.

Just a week before Easter—in the midst of the Spring shopping season—a more wonderful money-saving opportunity could scarcely be imagined. We "clean house" every month, you know—and you get the benefit of the bargains.

TWO DAYS ONLY—TODAY AND SATURDAY

All Women's Spring Woolen Suits

Now Grouped in Four Lots for Quick Clean-Up



An absolute and unrestricted clearance of every Woolen Suit in the Ready-to-wear Department. All new, stylish models, in Navy, Green, Black, Copenhagen, Gray and Tan; tailored on fancy or plain lines—a splendid assortment of styles to choose from, and values such as you'll not see again this season. About 90 Suits in all, priced for quick selling:

Lot 1
Suits Regularly
Priced to \$29.50
Month-End Price

\$18.75

Lot 2
Suits Regularly
Priced to \$39.50
Month-End Price

\$27.95

Lot 3
Suits Regularly
Priced to \$49.50
Month-End Price

\$36.75

Lot 4
Suits Regularly
Priced to \$59.50
Month-End Price

\$44.65

\$5.98 White Dress Skirts \$2.98

Wash Skirts in Gabardine and Corduroy, carried over from last summer; all good models, former prices up to \$5.98.

\$7.50 Sport Silk Skirts . . . \$4.98

In smart stripes, checks and plaids, all the latest shirred and gathered effects; Black, Navy and the stylish high colors.

FREE Palm-Olive Week-End Package

With Every 50c Purchase of Palm-Olive Goods Today

Every purchaser of 50c worth of Palm-Olive products during the Month-End Sale gets one of these handy little week-end packages FREE. Contain small size of Shampoo, Cream and Powder. Given free with 50c worth of—

Palm-Olive Soap, 10c cake, 3 for 25c; Palm-Olive Face Powder, Cold Cream Vanishing Cream, Dry Rouge and Shampoo, 50c each; Palm-Olive Lip Stick, 25c.

Tourist Cases—For Wash-cloth, Soap, Tooth Brush and Paste; made of silk, rubber lined; regular 50c each; Month-End price 29c

Apron Style Tourist Case—Regular \$1.50; price \$1.00

Hair Brushes—Good quality, regularly sold at 75c each; extra special today 39c

Fifty Beautiful Silk Dresses

In the Latest Spring Styles and Colors

Dresses worth three times the sale price we've put on them for today; Figured, Striped and Plain Taffetas, Charmeuse and Georgette; draped Skirts, long and short tunics, Georgette inserts, beaded and embroidered effects; choice for

All the Dresses are fine and sheer, suitable for Spring and Summer wear; colors include Gold, Copenhagen, Blue, Biscuit, Shannon Rose, etc. Every woman should attend this notable sale.

Lawn Dressing Sacques 25c

Printed Lawn Sacques, belted and loose styles, in variety of patterns.

Women's 75c and 98c Sacques—Month-End Sale price 49c

Printed Lawn Kimonos—Loose, elastic or belted, regular \$1.25 to \$1.98; Month-End Sale price 98c

Bungalow Sets—Jacket, Skirt and Cap; all solid colors, regular \$1.25, for 98c

Women's \$1.50 Hose \$1.00

Fine quality silk with lisle-lined garter top, high-spliced heel and double toe; black, white and all colors.

Women's Silk Hose—Lisle garter-top, high-spliced heel and double foot; black, white and novelty styles in all colors; these are \$1.25 values. Special for this sale 98c

Misses' Fibre Silk Ribbed Hose—Fine quality, small rib; black and tan; sizes 6 to \$1-2; 35c values, for 29c

Children's Tan Fay Hosiery—Hip-length; sizes 5, 5 1-2 and 8 1-2 only; regular 35c pair; sale price 19c

Girls' Dresses \$1.00
Regular price \$1.49

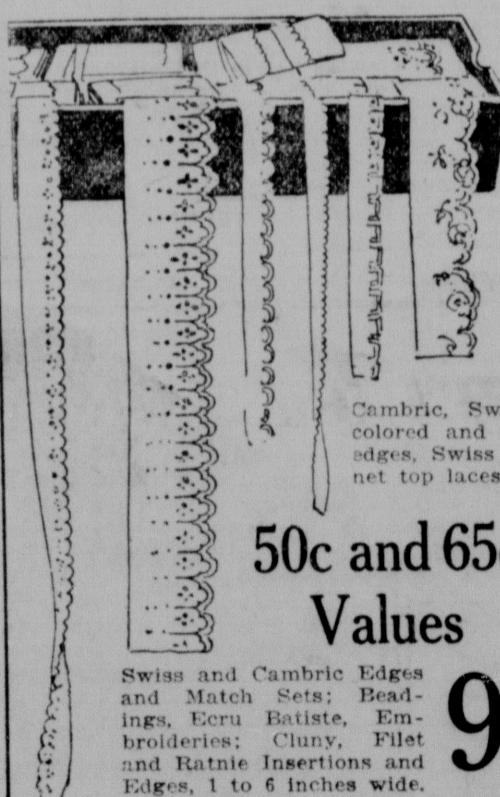
Girls' Dresses, made of good quality Gingham, some with full skirts, combination waists, pretty collars and cuffs, others straight line effects, all good styles. Regular \$1.49, special \$1.00

Silk Camsoles, made of Crepe de Chine, with Lace trimming, in flesh and white. Regular 75c, special at 49c

Women's Muslim Underwear, nicely trimmed with lace and embroidered skirts, nice full width Drawers, with lace and embroidery trimming. Combination, nicely trimmed, also Corset Covers. Regular 49c and 98c 35c

A Huge Sale of Laces and Embroideries

Thousands of Yards to Be Sold at a Tremendous Sacrifice in Prices



Values up to 10c Yd. 2c
Values up to 25c Yd. 5c
Values to 75c Yd. 12c

50c and 65c Values 9c
Swiss and Cambric Edges and Match Sets; Beadings, Ecrû Batiste, Embroideries; Cluny, Filet and Ratine Insertions and Edges, 1 to 6 inches wide.

Allover Cambric and Swiss Embroideries, open-cyclot patterns, 27 inches wide; the yard

Silk Venice Allover—Also 27-in. Chantilly Flounceings, Black only.

Values to \$6.00 yard \$1.19

Women's \$1.00 and \$1.49 White Waists for 79c

Broken assortments of beautiful White Voile and Organdy Blouses, all good styles, lace and embroidery trimmed, also tailored Blouses in colors; all sizes—every Blouse in the lot is a bargain.

Splendid assortment of Voile and Organdy Blouses. Some have embroidery and lace trimmings. Others tucks and hemstitching and fancy pearl buttons. Large collars and fancy cuffs; regular \$2.49; sale price \$1.00

SPECIAL IN THE ART NEEDLEWORK SECTION. Guest Towels, stamped on good quality Huck, assorted designs for cross stitch and embroidery. Size 16x24-inch. Special 15c

Women's \$1.50 Neckwear
An extraordinary purchase enables us to offer \$1.00 to 50c
\$1.50 Neckwear at

Big Bargains in Women's Shoes

Boys' \$7.50 and \$10 Suits \$4.98

Two hundred splendid, well made Suits, best Worsted and All-Wool Cassimères. These are carried over from last summer, but are all excellent models. Sizes 8 to 15 years—just think what you save by buying one of these for your boy now.

Big Lot of Boys' 30c Blouses at 23c

Boys' Mothers' Friend Blouses—Broken assortment, carried from last summer; all good styles; size 6 to 14 years; were 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25; to close out in this sale at each 39c

Boys' Wash Pants—Size 6 to 18 years, in Gray Beach Cloth and fancy stripes; extra well made; 500 pairs, bought specially for this big sale; the pair 59c

Men's \$1 Shirts

Month-End Clean-Up Sale 79c



Big variety of good patterns, guaranteed colors, all sizes, 14 to 17. Extra special.

Men's 75c Nightshirts 59c

Twenty-five dozen Cambric Night Shirts, sizes 14 to 18.

Men's \$5 and \$6 Oxfords \$3.95
One hundred pairs, broken sizes, button and lace. Tan and Gun Metal. Come early and get a big bargain.

Big Month-End Sale of Ribbons

Women's Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs 25c
Up to \$1.75—Only

—Exquisite hand-embroidered Handkerchiefs of finest quality all-pure linen; Madeira and French Embroidery, in the most beautiful patterns.

Women's Pure Linen Initial Handkerchiefs—Scalloped edge and hemstitched hem; broken lot of initials; values 25c to 35c; sale price 12 1/2c
Satin, Moire, Taffeta and Grosgrain Ribbons, 5 1-2 to 8 in., up to 75c yard 19c
Small lot of wide fancy Dresden Ribbons, were 80c to \$1.75 yard, at 39c

A \$22.50 Brussels Rug for \$18.25
Seamless Brussels Rugs, size 9x12, in the newest designs and colors; only seven Rugs in the lot—so don't fail to come early for yours.

Velvet Rugs—Size 27x54, in Oriental, Persian and other styles; extra special this sale 89c

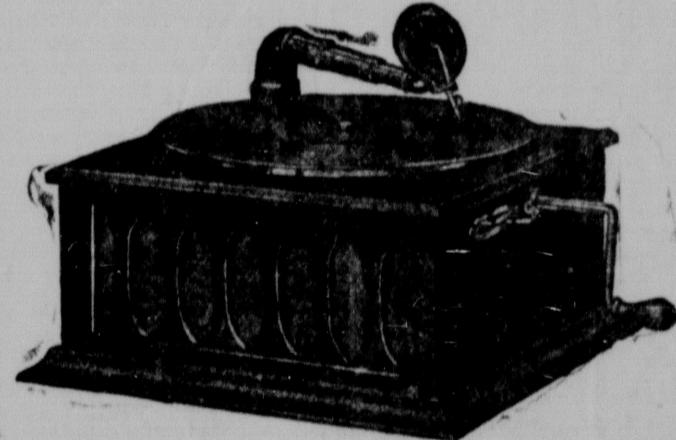
Scotch Madras—Cream and dainty colors; for bedroom draperies; regular 35c yard; price 23c
Stencil Scrims—Pink, blue, yellow and other colors, in large range of desirable styles; regular 30c and 40c yard, for 22c

"Alura" Phonograph \$6.50

The Phonograph for the Whole World.
Plays Columbia, Victor, Edison and Pathé Records.

A handsome, well-made machine, with grilled front nickel-toned arm, winding crank and trimmings. Scientific sound box with mica diaphragm. Perfect single spring worm gear motor, with stop-lever and 8-inch felt covered turn table.

\$6.50 buys an Alura Phonograph NOW—and if you want a larger machine later, we will take the Alura back—at any time within six months—for the FULL PRICE you pay for it now.



Pajama Checks, Dimities, Domestics, Lawns

—7,000 Yards of 12 1/2c and 15c Goods at 10c

Now is the time to lay in a supply of staple White Goods for all Summer needs. Good 36-inch Bleached Domestics, fine Pajama Checks, pretty Plaid Dimities, and a big special lot of beautiful 40-inch White Lawns—all under-priced for these two big sale days at TEN CENTS THE YARD.

White Stripe Crepes and Embroidered Dotted Crepes; regular 35c and 40c yard; pretty fabrics, carried from last summer and will close out, at the yard 17 1/2c

Plain and Embroidered All-White Crepes—35 and 40 inches wide, worth 75c to \$1.25 yard; to close out, at the yard 25c

One Lot of Manufacturers' Seconds in Bath Mats—Just a slight imperfection in weave or a little soiled; worth to \$1.75 95c
40c SHEER UNION LINEN LAWN 25c YARD.



New Spring Hats For Easter

Just received—a shipment of Trimmed Hats in Spring Styles, representative of all the new fashions, colors and materials.

Specially priced for tomorrow—

\$3.95

THE GOLDSTEIN-MIGEL CO.

"Waco's Greatest Department Store"

Morning News Bulletins of State Activities and Events

AMERICAN BANKERS SEEK TO REMEDY SCARCITY OF SEEDS

PLAN CAMPAIGN IN SOUTHERN STATE TO PROVIDE AGAINST POSSIBLE SHORTAGES.

By Associated Press.

Corpus Christi, March 29.—The agricultural commission of the American Bankers association on suggestion of the United States department of agriculture has undertaken a campaign to remedy the scarcity of seed for food and feed crops in Southern states.

Increased food and feed production is sought.

The suggestion for the campaign came to Joseph Hirsch, Corpus Christi banker, who is chairman of the agricultural commission, from Dr. Bradford Knapp, chief of extension work in the South for the United States department of agriculture. Dr. Knapp telephoned Mr. Hirsch to solicit the co-operation of bankers, business men and county agents in supplying seed.

"I understand that seed for food and feed crops is scarce," said Dr. Knapp. "The situation should be canvassed and prompt action taken. There is no hope except in organized effort to obtain the seed and sell it at cost to the farmer."

Mr. Hirsch sent a copy of the telegram to the presidents of the ten cotton states bankers' associations and urged a south-wide campaign for increased food and feed production.

FLATONIA

An Easter celebration will be held at the park here Wednesday, April 9. The program for the day will consist of band concerts, egg hunt, baseball game and a grand ball at night. These celebrations are held every year and are given by the park association.

The local teams representing the Flatonia high school left Thursday afternoon for La Grange to attend the county meet of the interscholastic league meet. The locals expect to win first place in the majority of the events in which they enter. The Flatonia Commercial club loving cup, given to the team making the highest score in debate will also be contested for.

About twenty of the business men of the city signed up for a lyceum course to be held under the auspices of the Mothers' club to be held here next year. This and the chautauqua will give this city a class of entertainments that are seldom seen in a small town.

"Kie-Yie-Yie! Get Me 'Gets-It' Quick!"

2 Drops Make Corn "Fall" Off.

"I've joined the Never Again Club. Never again will I use anything for corns but 'Gets-It.' Put 2 drops of 'Gets-It' on, and from that second the corn begins to shrivel, instead of swelling up like a



"Oh, Don't Touch It! It's So Sore! Use 'Gets-It' and it Will Never Be Sore!"

Little white sponge. Then it loosens from your toe—and, glory hallelujah! the corn comes right off as though you'd take a glove off your hand.

"Gets-It" is in the corn discover of the age. More "Gets-It" is sold by many instances. Try it and you'll know the reason why. It takes two seconds to apply it, and it does all the work. That's all. Don't experiment—follow the experience of millions and use "Gets-It."

"Gets-It" is sold everywhere. 25¢ a box. Send for sample of price by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

Sold in Waco and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by Powers-Kelly Drug Co., O. K. Stettler and Provisional Drug Co.

Never Turn Your Back on a Good Thing.

—Especially when it is a home industry in a Southern country.

McCrosson's Tonic is made in Waco, it cures Indigestion, Kidney Disease, Rheumatism, Chills and Fever, Old Sores, Bolls, Eczema and all Blood Diseases.

For Children with summer complaint it cannot be excelled; it cures Colic instantly; it cures Milk Leg and Old Sore Leg of every description and Female diseases as well.

McCrosson's Tonic is made in Waco, sold everywhere, ask your druggist, \$1.00 per bottle—Adv.

Miller's Antiseptic Oil Known as

Snake Oil

Will Limber You Up—A New Creation, Pain Killer and Antiseptic Combined.

For Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Stiff and Swollen Joints, Corns, Blisters, or whatever the pain may be, it is said to do without an equal. For Cuts, Burns, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Scars, Tophus and Tonsilitis it has been found most effective. Accept no substitute. This great oil is golden red color only. There is nothing like it. Every bottle guaranteed and 50 cents, or money refunded, by leading druggists. At Old Corner Drug Store.

Plant Your Hogs + + + + + And Set No Price

Special to the News.

Waxahachie, March 29.—Matt Robinson, prominent hog breeder near here, today called attention to the fact that he predicted 150 hogs before the first day of June this year. "The markets," he declared, "show hogs quoted at a better price in Chicago this week." Robinson states it is his belief that hogs will go so much higher in another two months than that he would be considered "bug-house" should he fix the price. He advises Ellis county farmers to "plant" just as many hogs as possible and grow feed to fatten them.

MOODY

Miss Cora Lee Steeley, who has been teaching school at Paradise, visited Miss Josie Rowe last week. Miss Steeley will visit friends in Houston before she returns to her home in Huntsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Montgomery returned to Moody Monday night.

Mrs. Owen P. Smith of Temple is Hardy Hay.

Quite a number of our citizens have visited Waco this week, most of them visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. and the Woodman Lodge meeting there.

Mrs. Joe Reed represented the Moody Woodman circle there this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hundley were in Waco Wednesday.

Charles Parker Kuykendall was in Waco Wednesday.

The school at Liberty Hill was suspended last week on account of the illness of Superintendent Goodwin. He began work again last Monday morning.

Mrs. Osburne and children of Eddy spent the week-end with their sister and aunt, Miss Ruth Gordon, last Saturday.

Ollie Nance and wife of Lometa visited Haywood Thompson's family last Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Whitfield has returned from a visit with friends in Fort Worth.

McGregor high school boys played Moody high school a game of baseball last Saturday afternoon. Moody won by several scores.

Miss Mary Hargett was at home from Meridian college last Sunday.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Baker died Saturday morning at 4 o'clock. The child had been sick for some weeks with whooping cough. The little body was laid to rest in the Moody cemetery Saturday afternoon. Rev. W. S. McCullough conducted the funeral services.

W. D. Johnson, while working on a building at Mrs. Nate Gent's last week, fell and sprained one of his legs, from which he is still suffering.

Mr. and Mrs. Mangham and daughter, Miss Hassie, were in Waco Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reynolds were in Waco Tuesday.

Mesdames A. R. Clay, C. L. Clay, Tom Payne and Harry Miller were in Waco Tuesday.

Mrs. Jim Rice and daughters, Mesdames C. C. Cormany and George Hundley, were in Waco Tuesday.

Mrs. H. G. Miller entertained in her beautiful home Monday afternoon the Woman's Missionary society. An interesting program was rendered, after which a delicious salad course was served. Mrs. W. R. Johnson was the invited guest.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Mitchell and Mrs. P. M. Kuykendall were in Waco Sunday.

"Grandma" Payne is visiting in the home of Carl Trigg of Temple.

Mrs. Horace Payne and Miss Mary Jones were in Temple Friday.

Mrs. Sam Witt entertained the Ladies' Aid society Tuesday. A very interesting program was rendered by the different members of the society, after which a delicious refreshment plate was passed.

TEXAS IN BUSINESS.

Special to the News.

Austin, March 29.—Charters were filed today with the secretary of state as follows:

T. Mitchell & Co., Iredell, Bosque county; capital \$5,000, all paid in; purpose, to deal in merchandise. Incorporators, T. Mitchell, A. L. Breeding and H. G. Mitchell.

Overland Sherman company, Sherman, Kansan county; no capital stock. Incorporators, Gus Swenson, C. Peterson, John Anderson and others.

Woodville Light and Power company, Woodville, Tyler county; capital \$1,400, all paid in. Incorporators, J. M. Williams, E. A. Dismuke and J. E. Wheat.

The Colored Methodist Episcopal church in America, Granbury; no capital stock. Incorporators, Barney Hightower, J. Anderson, Henry Denson and others.

Dixie Graphite company, Llano; capital \$150,000, of which \$100,000 has been paid in and is represented by reduction plant, machinery, etc. Incorporators, W. McCarty Moore, Will T. Moore and Eugene Moore.

Benevolent Carpenters' union, Port Arthur; no capital stock. Incorporators, E. W. Wells, A. Barard, D. Martin, C. Briggs and others.

The London company, Fort Worth; capital \$10,000, all paid in. Incorporators, R. R. Lowden, E. K. Lowden, G. D. Babcock and H. E. Babcock. Purpose, to do printing, publishing and stationery business.

Charter amendments filed by the Krakauer, Zork & Moye's Successors (Inc.), El Paso, increasing capital stock from \$300,000 to \$900,000, and the Lummus Cotton Gin Sales company, Dallas, increasing capital stock from \$5,000 to \$25,000.

RESUMES PRACTICE.

Dr. Doyle L. Eastland has opened his office at Suite 320, Peerless Bldg.—Adv.

R. J. McBride, Magnetic Specialist in Nervous and Chronic Diseases, Office 420 Peerless Bldg., Waco.—Adv.

WALKS TO OPEN IN SLEEP—FELL FROM WINDOW

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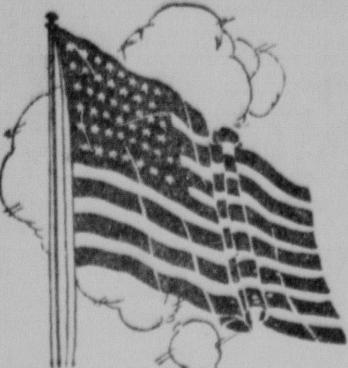
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Much Ado About Nothing By Roy K. Meulion.

STRANGER TIMES, INDEED. A newspaper man went to see La Follette, in a casual sort of way. An interview was what he wanted to get. He wanted to know where the "willful" ones set. On beating the president's policies yet But the pompadour statesman replied, with regret, "I have nothing at all to say."

It doesn't sound real, an expression like that.

For men who are old and are gray Cannot recollect any time, and that's flat,

When Bob wasn't ready to talk through his hat,

And with any topic to go to the mat— The end of the world is at hand, so stand pat,

If Robert has nothing to say.

Calling the battleship "she" will seem much easier after the women begin joining the navy.

ARMIES of aliens are said to be drilling in Connecticut to fight Uncle Sam. But since the days of the wooden nutmeg, we have been prone to investigate reports from that region.

SPRING HAS ARRIVED. WE HATE IT BECAUSE THE PRICE OF EVERYTHING HAS MOVED UP A NOTCH.

HESITANT HEROES. Those who are first To yell so loud For war, with much elation, Are not the first To form a crowd At the recruiting station.

SEE BY THE PAPERS PATRIOTIC NEW YORK WOMEN WILL CUT DOWN DRESS IN ORDER TO HELP THE GOVERNMENT. SEEMS AS THOUGH SOME OF THE DRESSES ARE CUT DOWN TOO FAR ALREADY.

THE HERO.
He's short on parlor etiquette and eats peas with his knife,
He couldn't dance the wobble or the dip to save his life.
The idol of adoring throngs of misses just the same,
For he hits above .300 in the great and only game.

He's innocent of grammar like Josh Billings used to be,
On Maeterlinck and Ibsen, on escala-
loped oysters, he
But he's got a country mansion and a bang-up touring car,
And he travels round the country like the latest opera star.

He's a tyro on the classics and is rather shy on lore,
But with three men on the bases he can pound out hits galore.

We Feed for You, Camembert.
There ain't, so far as I kin learn, No other face so sweet like her'n,
Her neck is like the pretty swan,
Her lips are like the cherries and Her big gray eyes are simply grand.
To feast my humble orbs upon.
She's got a peck of golden hair
And with the finger, she is there,
She weighs one hundred eighty-five.
Her glance is like a harmless dove's,
I'd follow her through densest wilds
That waitress I admire in Child's.
She scowls not when I tip her five.
CAMEMBERT.

Nothing is going to jar the sensibilities of the cafe houses who are accustomed to paying \$4.35 for \$1.37 worth of food. They are case-hardened, reinforced and copper-lined. They the original shock absorbers. Let the safe prices rise, who cares?

No, There Ain't No Such Animal.

R. K. M.—Would you like some contributions to the column from a real poet?

C. H. P.

Who Is Your Hero?

My hero is Bohunkus Barr.
He does not rave about his car.

—N. L. W.

Some fellows fall in love gracefully, but the common or garden variety of man does it with the proverbial dull, sickening thud.

The Short Story Formula.

Write your story.

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Get it back.

Buy more stamps and send it to a 25-cent magazine.

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Buy more stamps and send it to a 15-cent magazine.

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Buy more stamps and send it to a moving picture company.

Get \$200 for it.

It's being done.

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WAR AS SHERMAN MADE IT REPEATS HISTORY IN FRANCE

AFTER THE RETREAT—WHAT? A HELL FEST OF HUMAN SACRIFICES.

(From a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press.)

British Headquarters in France, via London, March 29.—Now that the desperate episodes in the war known in history as the battles of the Somme have been definitely ended by the German retreat from Arras to the Aisne it has been possible more leisurely to investigate the conditions which existed along the German front just prior to the backward swing to the so-called Hindenburg line.

When the retreat first began, more than a month ago, the British swept over some old Somme positions held by the Germans and even the most hurried glimpse of the evacuated trenches indicated how untenable they had become and why it was decided to run no risks of another allied offensive in this sector. Five miles of slogging along the old German lines in the vicinity of Bapaume today revealed a picture of ghastliness which may never be seen again in this or any other war. The front line was a long, open, dilapidated, crumbling grave which disappeared in the mud at times, but could be picked up further on by means of the bodies that marked the way.

Lived with Their Dead.

One realized with a shudder how the men doomed to live in these trenches had been plagued by their own dead. Such a ceremony as decent burial had been wholly out of the question and there was no means of conveying the bodies to the rear. It had been like passing through a fiery rain from hedges to bring up food and water to the living. So the dead had simply been tossed out of the trenches only to be blown back again by an exploding shell. Sometimes they came back in fragments, for there were arms and legs, feet and hands everywhere.

Occasionally graves had been dug in the sides of the trench itself, but the dead could not rest there. At frequent intervals the inevitable skeleton hands and feet protruded from the trench walls.

Men sights this war has had for the men who passed up and down those trenches during the long and bitter nights of winter.

Reasons Disclosed.

It has been an enthralling thing to stand by the British guns in the last three or four months and wonder what was the meaning of all their continuous roar. There was no set battle in progress and the gunners said it was merely the "daily hate" going on to keep Fritz unhappy. The hideous revelations of the German trenches however, give the gruesome answer to what the guns were doing. Neither by day nor by night had the Germans rested. Their trusted barbed wire had been swept completely away over thousands of yards and they dared not venture out to repair it.

All trace of communication trenches leading to the front lines were wiped out and it had been necessary to bring up supplies and relief at night over a country blown into endless shell holes, many of which were filled to such a depth with water that men were drowned in them. White bits of broad tape could be seen here and there attached to iron posts. They were for the purpose of guiding the men up to the front line.

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J. H. Mackey Announcement.

I have been writing fire, tornado, accident, bonding and automobile insurance in Waco, in the most reliable old line stock companies for more than a quarter of a century. Am prepared to give the best insurance that money can buy—at no greater cost than you will be charged for the less reliable kind. I respectfully solicit your business, large or small, and promise the most careful attention. Phone or see me about your insurance expiring in April. Office 1605 Amicable Building, phone 190—Adv.

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NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

BY
O.O. MCINTYRE.

New York, March 29.—The Lounge Lizards and Parlor Snakes—or if you prefer the Tango Pirates—have returned to Broadway. As a police captain remarked: "They are regular fellows. They carry matches and everything." They are the sleek, fashionably dressed young men who prey on women in the gilded tango halls.

A murder of a woman, who was supposed to have been happily married, in a Broadway hotel, has convinced the police that these young fops are once more making a living by blackmail and other sinister means. Their victims are women who slip away from the family hearth to baske under assumed names in the glaze of Broadway.

When the daughter of a very wealthy family was arrested some time ago as the result of her fascination for a well known fox trotter, the police warned all of these tango hounds to decamp. They did. But one by one they have returned.

These men have no visible means of support. They breakfast at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and consequently never work. They watch for women to come into the bars.

Clifford is a handsome, well set up chap of Italian extraction. He has been one of the few tango dancers who has kept his name unspotted and he is welcomed in good circles. He has been devoted to his wife and when they are not appearing on the stage they retire to his camp in Maine.

Clifford is a member of the Waco socialistic party.

There is one kind of a little theatre in New York about which the public is not informed. It is the private motion picture theatre—projecting room it is called in the trade—where the bank roll and the live wire and a few of their friends see the tryouts of film actors and plays. These theatres are the size of a trolley car and seat an audience of five. If a man thinks he's the biggest screen in fourteen states and wants to prove it to a bank roll all he has to do is to have his antics filmed and pack it in a tin can to one of the little theatres.

Therefore, we, the executive committee of the Waco socialist party present the following for your perusal. We cordially invite discussion and debate.

Would you as a member of your respective labor and fraternal organization cast a ballot to elect as an active officer of your local some one who had no connection therewith, and consequently would not have its interests at heart? Do you believe that there is sufficient intelligence in the ranks of organized labor to conduct the affairs of a municipality? Do you think it possible for a man to work with his hands and be conversant with the needs of a people, and at the same time have both the courage and conviction to proceed?

Seventy per cent of the population of the average city is composed of working people. Don't you think that representatives chosen from the greatest number would be more apt to govern according to the real needs of the majority? If so, bear with us a little longer. Very likely, one of our municipal platforms has been delivered to your door. In it you noticed enumerated the things we advocate. Twenty-two definite demands. Prominent among them are the demands for municipal ownership of public service corporations, and the erection of a market house. Many of you have wished for a market house during the past six months. Can you find any objection to free textbooks, free speech and better sanitary conditions? Would not you like to have something done about the immoral conditions in our fair city, which are corrupting the minds of our boys and girls? If so, and no doubt you are in favor of all the foregoing—won't you take the trouble to go to the polls and express your convictions? The candidates on the socialist ticket are all members of organized labor, and are ready to do your bidding. The ticket is as follows:

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Late Wire News and Correspondence Gathered from Texas Cities

FERGUSON BUSY SIGNING BILLS OF LAST SESSION

WARRANTS ISSUED YESTERDAY SHOW 100 CONFEDERATE VETERANS DIE WITHIN QUARTER.

By Associated Press.

Austin, March 29.—Governor Ferguson today signed the bill which prescribes the fees which may be charged by the state board of pharmacy. He also approved the bill regulating the tax to be paid by vendors of patent medicines and also the bill requiring the teaching as a part of the regular course of Texas history in the public schools of this state.

He also signed the bills creating road systems for these counties:

Van Zandt, Wilson, Milam, Ellis, Navarro, Erath, Cherokee, Duval, Bowie, Rains and Trinity.

Bills creating independent school districts were signed for these places: Talpa, Coleman, Goldthwaite, Tahoka, Girard, Stanton, Smiley, Kelton, Alief in Harris county, Caps in Taylor county, Sheppard and Sabine.

Also approved these bills:

Fixing time of holding court in sixty-fourth district; permitting S. S. Perry to sue the state.

Exempting certain counties from hide and animal inspection law.

Exempting Corpus Christi from taxation for a period of fifteen years to aid in building seawall.

Restoring civil and criminal jurisdiction of Dallas county court at law.

Increasing salaries of Tarrant county commissioners.

MANY VETERANS DIE.

By Associated Press.

Austin, March 29.—Within the past quarter, not less than 100 Confederate pensioners have died, according to figures in the comptroller's department. Of the 19,000 Confederate pension warrants issued and mailed out the first of March for the quarter, approximately 150 were returned by the postoffice authorities as undelivered and of these 100 were marked "deceased," while the remainder have changed addresses. It was also announced by the department that mortuary warrants, under the new law passed by the thirty-fifth legislature cannot be issued to these deceased members for funeral expenses as the law is not yet effective.

ASK \$15,000 APPROPRIATION.

By Associated Press.

Austin, March 29.—The Texas Cathe-raisers' association, through a committee appointed for that purpose today presented to Governor Ferguson and to the railroad commission a copy of a resolution adopted by the association at its recent annual convention at Fort Worth, recommending and urging that the governor submit to the coming special session of the legislature a request for an appropriation of \$15,000 to assist the shipping interests of the state in fighting and prosecuting the state's contention in the Shreveport rate case. The committee consisted of James Callanan, president of the association; Marion Sansom and George W. Armstrong, all of Fort Worth. This money is to be used in assisting in the gathering of evidence and data for this case. The committee also urged upon the governor the submission of a measure, along the lines of senate bill No. 219, for the protection of the rates of the Texas railroad commission.

ERROR IN LEGISLATION.

By Associated Press.

Austin, March 29.—Another error due to hurried passage of bills by the thirty-fifth legislature came to light today when it was disclosed that two bills covering exactly the same subjects were enacted, sent to the executive department and signed by the governor. These bills amend section two of the law creating the Jourdanton independent school district in Atascosa county. The attention of the governor was called to the duplication today and will likely disapprove one of the bills.

COMMITTEE TO MEET.

By Associated Press.

Austin, March 29.—The house general appropriation committee will meet here one week ahead of the date on which the special session of the thirty-fifth legislature convenes, according to Sam D. Low, Washington county member of the house and also of the appropriation committee, who is here today. This committee, in order to expedite consideration of the money bills, will get them in shape to be presented shortly after the session opens. Mr. Low was of the opinion that the special session will not be called any later than April 16.

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Removal Notice.

W. B. Ragland, Optometrist and

Optician, has removed his optical par-

lers from Sanger Bros. to 412 Austin street, in Golding's Jewelry Store.—

HILSBORO FIRE CAUSES LOSS OF OVER \$350,000

By Associated Press.

Hillsboro, March 29.—Fire of unknown origin which started here at 1:30 o'clock today practically destroyed the Hillsboro cotton compress, together with about 3,000 bales of cotton. The loss will be between \$350,000 and \$375,000, covered by insurance. The fire was discovered on the north cotton platform. A wind from the south prevented the fire from sweeping back on the town. Inadequate water pressure handicapped the work of the firemen.

M'GREGOR

Nick Carnes was in Waco last week. Mrs. A. J. Mann visited friends in Temple last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wells and children spent Sunday in Oglesby. Earl Bryant of Waco spent Sunday with home folks here.

N. C. Conley from Quanah has been visiting friends here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fulp and children and Miss Florence Christoph are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Perkins this week.

Mrs. Emmett Johnson and little son of Point Rock are visiting Mrs. M. E. Harris.

Mrs. Roy T. Davis of Dublin is here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Nader.

G. B. Roach has returned from Mineral Wells.

L. H. Naler was in town recently visiting friends.

Will Warren went to Texarkana last week to be at the bedside of his father, who is ill.

There are eleven cases of measles in the J. C. Cooper family.

Mrs. M. S. Sewell was taken to Waco sanitarium last week for an operation.

Miss Nettie Wells and brother, Cetus, spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wells of Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cox of Comanche visited Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Cox last week.

Rev. Julian S. Sleeper preached at Caufield last Sunday.

Miss Ludora Connally of Caufield was in town Saturday.

A. H. Nance and daughter, Miss Minnie Etta and Miss Louise Wright visited in Caufield recently.

Rev. John M. Neal preached at Caufield Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Smith and baby, and Mrs. Albert Herring motored to Waco last week.

Misses Velma Duke and Clarice Henry spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks at Comanche Springs.

Miss Lee Edwards of Dallas visited friends here Sunday.

Miss Nellie Christie of Waco spent Saturday and Sunday here.

W. C. Johnson has just returned from Fort Worth in the purchase of two cars of red cows for his Mills county ranch near Mullen.

Oglesby shippers passed through here Tuesday with a car of fine stock for the Fort Worth markets.

National Guardsmen Horace Cook and William Gilliland have just returned home after being mustered out at Corpus Christi and await further orders.

A Waco firm representative has delivered new automobiles here this week to C. B. Graham and Joe Powell of the Oglesby community.

After a week's stay among McGregor and Waco friends, O. H. Remmert and his wife returned Tuesday to their home in Austin.

Home growers and producers adjacent to McGregor yet mark well the interesting prices to them of 20c to 25c on eggs; 14c per pound for chickens; 25c to 30c for butter; 33c per pound for cream butter fat; 13 1/4c for hogs; 6c to 7c for beef cattle.

Near 400 heard Pastor Pledger Sunday night at the Baptist church meeting in his interesting sermon on the conversion of the Centurian.

WANT TO TELL YOU ABOUT PARK LAWN

And am sure your interest will increase. Modern perpetually cared-for Park Lawn cemetery is too beautiful, too inspiring, too vitally necessary an institution to remain unappreciated by you. If you will be convinced, phone me and let me send my car and bring you out and show you Park Lawn.

A. L. STEIN, Supt. Phone 3959. (Adv.)

NOTICE.

There will be a play given at Erath school Friday night; benefit of school. Everybody invited.—Adv.

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Society

WILLIE REAMY BENSON—SOCIETY EDITOR.
TELEPHONES: OFFICE 3466; HOUSE 3467.

THE Thursday Auction was entertained yesterday by Mrs. Jack Little of Washington street. The club prize fell to Mrs. Wilbur Crawford, the guest prize to Mrs. Will Kelly. A salad course completed the courtesy.

Mrs. W. O. Van Wyck is next Thursday's hostess.

Guests outside the club were Messes Will Kelly, Olive Ware, Barrows of Fort Worth, Walter Robinson, E. E. Upshaw of Belton, Eva Prendergast and Louis Early.

CURRENT EVENT CORRECTION

In the listing of the newly elected officers of the Current Event club, the name of Mrs. Mary Manton was omitted by accident. Mrs. Manton was elected corresponding secretary.

REVIEW CLUB TO HAVE GARDEN PARTY

The last of April will see the adjournment of many social clubs for the summer. Among these will be the Review club, which will close the book of the year with a garden party of elaborateness and magnitude. Details have not yet been given out, but it is understood that those concerned are looking forward to it with a great deal of pleasant excitement.

STORY HOUR AT PUBLIC LIBRARY

The regular story hour at the public library at 4 o'clock will be especially interesting this week. "The Capture of Santa Anna" is the Texas story that will be told. The attendance of late has been very gratifying to those who are responsible for the conducting of this splendid feature for the children, and as summer draws near, it is believed that a still more decided increase will be noticed. More than hundred children were present last Friday afternoon.

THURSDAY BRIDGE WITH MRS. C. N. SMITH

The Thursday Bridge had a pleasant afternoon yesterday with Mrs. C. N. Smith of Clay street. Guests other than the club members were Mrs. Jessie Fenix, Mrs. C. C. Terry and Mrs. R. H. Coleman.

The club prize was carried away by Mrs. Will Carroll and Mrs. Coleman was awarded consolation.

Pretty bamboo trays with white hyacinths brought in salads and ices for the players.

Mrs. Frank Wells is to have the club next week.

MERRY MATRONS WITH MRS. WRIGHT EDMUNDSON

Mrs. E. L. Farley was hostess yesterday afternoon to the Merry Matrons. The house was prettily decorated with bowls of violets. The needlework went merrily on until the hostess interrupted with a dainty salad plate.

Guests outside the club were Messes Tom Edmondson, F. P. Culver, Glen Thompson, George Stubblefield, John Collins, Mason, Lastinger, Kirtell and Scott Powell. Next Thursday's hostess is Mrs. H. Hagedorn, 1726 North Fifth.

KILL KARE KLUB WITH MRS. JOE MORGAN

The parlors of Mrs. Joe Morgan's home were prettily decorated with pink carnations and ferns for the reception of her bridge club on yesterday afternoon. The favors were little green and pink baskets with fluffy baby chicks perched upon them, reminding her guests that Easter is at hand.

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Austin Avenue Missionary society at 3 p. m. in the church.

T. A. G. club with Miss Thelma Wortham, 1208 North Twelfth street, at 4 o'clock.

Auxiliary No. 1 of the First Baptist church at 4 p. m.

Auxiliary No. 4 of the First Baptist church at 4 p. m.

Millinery class at Y. W. C. A. from 9 to 11 o'clock.

Club work are invited very cordially to call between the hours of 4 and 7.

CATHOLIC STUDY CLUB WITH MRS. HARRY BAHL

The Catholic Study Club met in regular session yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Harry Bahl. The Bible lesson was introduced and discussion led by Mrs. A. E. Wells, the president.

Discussion as to the future course of study looking forward to next year's book occupied the greater part of the afternoon.

Guests outside the club were Mrs. John Kelly of Central City, Neb., Mrs. John Pluto, Miss Margaret Murphy of Portland, Ore.

Tempting refreshments offered iced tea, salad and nut sandwiches.

There will be no meeting of the club on next Thursday, the day being Holy Thursday.

OEKANDER-DECKER WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lars Oekander, Miss Antoinette Oekander, who has been in Los Angeles, Cal., for several years, both as a medical student and as a practitioner in the Good Samaritan hospital. While there she met and became engaged to Dr. Morris Decker.

Miss Oekander was reared in Waco, a Waco high school graduate, and her circle of girlhood friends is large.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Oekander announce the engagement of their daughter Lars Antoinette to

Dr. Morris Decker the eighteenth of April nineteen hundred and seventeen Los Angeles, Cal.

TRAVELOG AT LIBRARY TO OBSERVE GOOD FRIDAY.

In delivering her travelog at the public library tomorrow, Miss Kate Friend will present to a large audience the world-famed "Passion Play," life people and play, as it is seen by thousands of tourists in the tiny village of Oberammergau. This will be observance of the holy week, the period depicted in this uniquely preserved medieval custom. Miss Friend's lantern slides, a half hundred in number, are made direct from Oberammergau pictures. She will deliver message direct from the little Bavarian village, and show greeting from the "Christus," Anton Lang, and his family, sent for the new year of 1917. This traveler is arousing more than ordinary interest, in that it will refute the Associated Press dispatches of several months ago, which announced the "Christus" killed at the front.

FEDERATED MISSIONS IN ALL DAY SESSION

The Waco Federation of Missionary Societies is to meet today in all day session at the Central Christian church.

The feature of the afternoon's program will be a speech by Charles Saville, of the Dallas health department. Mr. Saville is director of public health, is a graduate of an eastern college, and an acknowledged authority in his line.

The Federated Missions extends an urgent invitation to the Rotary club, the Lions, the Y. M. B. L., the Junior Y. M. B. L., the city commission, food inspector, the Chamber of Commerce, the Lawyers' club, and all other organizations and individuals interested in Waco's health and sanitation.

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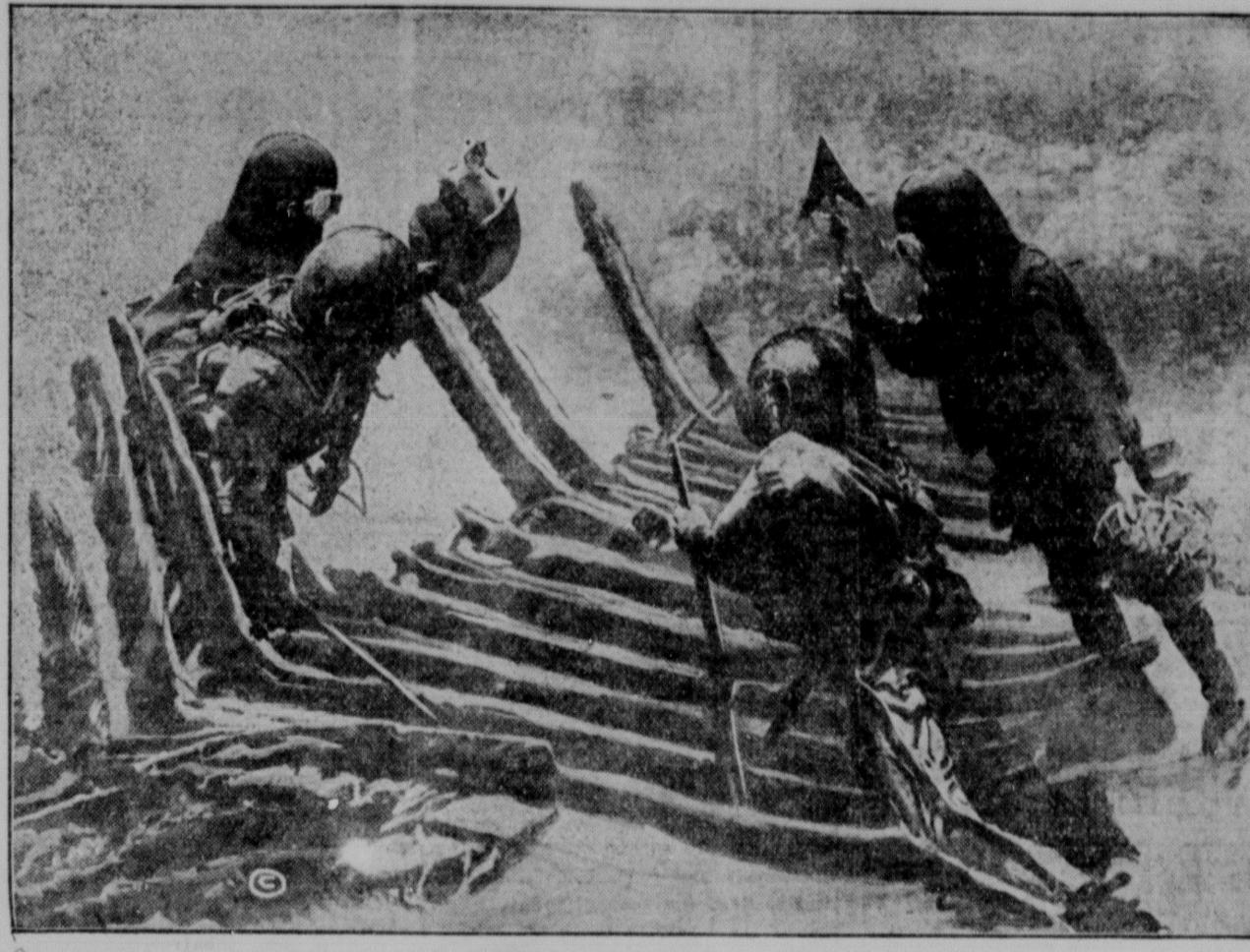
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MRS. C. W. CONNERY NAMED FOR PRESIDENT.

Friends of Mrs. C. W. Connery of Fort Worth are responding to the announcement from the home town that Mrs. Connery be urged to accept the presidency of State Federation of Women's clubs. The administration of Mrs. Fred Fleming of Dallas expires with the November meeting of the federation in Waco. It is for the election of Mrs. Fleming's successor that Mrs. Connery is being presented for consideration from the club women of Texas. She has served in various chancellorships in the federation which acquaints her with detail work. She has directed large bodies and thus demonstrated her ability as executive officer. Mrs. Connery is devoted

At the Hippodrome



Scene on the ocean's floor from "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea."

MRS. W. H. DAILY IS HELPING AINE TODAY

FURNISHES A DOLLAR MENU, AND ANNE SAYS IT LOOKS MIGHTY GOOD.

By Anne Austin,

A harassed young housekeeper, who makes no pretense of hating the H. C. of L., but would like to do so, says that she has been trying to live up to the list of do's. She has some do's, too, but she is not so positive about them.

My Don'ts.

Don't buy anything that's cheap in quality. That was the hardest thing for me to learn, especially when I needed a pair of shoes and I had just half enough with which to purchase what I knew to be good.

Don't let the grocery beguile you in ordering over the telephone, as he calls over his list of the day's choice eats.

Don't forget to plan your menus.

Don't trust to luck to find a can of tomatoes twenty minutes before lunch time, when nothing else but tomatoes will do.

Don't waste gas and energy in cooking things that are better ready prepared.

Don't forget to keep your grocery slips. Butchers and grocers make mistakes.

The following menu is one of those submitted in the menu contest, which closes on Saturday:

Soup from roast

Roast, baked with Irish potatoes

Lettuce with salad dressing

Cream pudding with milk

Bread, butter and tea or coffee.

Roast, 40c

Irish potatoes 10c

Part of head of lettuce 5c

Home made salad dressing 5c

Jello ice cream powder (for pudding) 10c

Milk 5c

One-eighth pound of butter 10c

Bread 10c

Sugar and tea or coffee 7c

Total \$1.00

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308 North Twelfth St., Waco, Texas.

Medical Corps of Army Gets Impetus in New York

New York, March 29.—It was announced that the medical officers' reserve corps of the United States army would immediately open headquarters at the New York academy of medicine for the examination of candidates for appointment in the medical officers' reserve corps of the army. In the event of war it was said "the members of the regular corps of the army on account of the small number will all be required for instructive and sanitary work, so that it will be necessary to call on the members of the medical profession all over the United States to help."

Paul Quinn Club at Baylor Thursday.

The Paul Quinn Choral club did itself "proud." From the minute the long line of white-waisted, black-skirted girls and black-clothed men filed in, they had the house with them, heart and soul.

The insinuating rhythm crept into the tiniest recesses of the building, going to the heads of even the staidest and steadiest. Spontaneous bursts of enthusiasm punctuated the droll chanting of each song, culminating in a roar of applause at its conclusion. Every number was encored by storms of clapping, and the singers were for the most part responsive.

But when Miss Jones, the club's soprano, stepped out, and folded her big, capable looking hands—not looking the least like a prima donna—the house lost control of itself. A sweeter voice has never been raised in Carroll chapel, and richer, fuller notes have never been the heritage of a negress.

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(Adv.)

Tietz Hotel—Good meals, 25c; rooms 50 and 75c; special rates by week.

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Queen Theatre to Show Pictures for Children

Listen, kids: "The pretty new the-Queen, on Austin, you know, between Sixth and Seventh, is going to show some movies that you will be crazy to see. You have read the stories in the fairy tale books, and now you can see them: Rip Van Winkle, Little Red Riding Hood, Little Boy Blue and lots of others. And all you have to do is to look through this paper until you find a coupon offering you admission to the Queen for these Saturday night picture plays, provided you take a nickel with you, too. You can find the coupon and your daddy will give you the nickel. Don't forget to look for the coupon and run along Saturday to the matinee at the Queen."

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We wish to advise all of our present and future customers that now is the time to "lay in" a complete stock of groceries.

"WAR CLOUDS" are hovering all 'round us, and as sure as the sun sets tonight, you will have to "pay more" in case war is declared.</

Classified Rates

1 insertion, per word, 1c
3 insertions, per word, 2c
7 insertions, per word, 4c
Additional insertions, per word, 1c
No ad taken for less than 25c.
Small paper is counted as daily.
Classified ads will be taken over the telephone and are payable on presentation of bill. Ads for Sunday paper, to be properly classified, should be in this office before 7 o'clock Saturday night.

Special Notice

LET ME do your Easter sewing; 1205 Ross St., or phone 4808.

SEE KAHN BROS.' Easter Suits. O. K. Tailors. We clean anything. 614 Washington. Phone 565. Lucas.

PAINTING, paper-hanging and floor finishing. J. B. Sheard, contractor, phone 4550.

HATS cleaned and blocked. Telephone 130. Roberts, the Hatter, 707 Austin St.

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THIS WOMAN HAD GIVEN UP ALL HOPE OF HER RECOVERY

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"I have taken three bottles of Tanlac and have actually gained twenty-one pounds" was the remarkable statement made recently by Mrs. O. F. Sandidge, of Adair, Okla., in a conversation with D. C. Parker, the well known druggist at Pryor, Okla.

"I can't find words," continued Mrs. Sandidge, "to express my gratitude for the wonderful work Tanlac has done for me. Before I took it I was sick and had been for over a year, with serious stomach trouble and other things, and while I took every kind of medicine I could get hold of I kept getting worse. I got so bad off I had to give up and was down in bed from last November until Tanlac got me up a few days ago.

"I was examined three different times and was told there was no chance for me. I fell off until I weighed only ninety-three pounds and was in a dreadful condition. Everything was done for me it seemed that could be, but with all that I was given up to die. I had begun to think myself I couldn't get well, but with all that I had to discourage me and put me out of heart, I still had hope of finding something to bring me relief.

"One day I read a testimonial for Tanlac that described my case almost exactly and somehow I felt like it was just the medicine I needed. Right then I determined to try it, but I couldn't get it where I live and sent forty miles for my first bottle. Well, wonderful is the only word that expresses it. It has acted more like a miracle than medicine and my hopes of being restored to health are realized at last.

"In just a few days after I began taking Tanlac I felt better. I began to eat and sleep better and could tell I was getting stronger. My stomach trouble and whatever else it was pulling me down is all gone now and I have never had anything to be so thankful for. I now weigh 114 pounds, have gained twenty-one pounds by actual weight, and lots of people are surprised at my recovery. I am now a happy woman. I am doing all my house work and praising Tanlac every day for what it has done for me."

Tanlac is sold in Waco by Morrison's Old Corner Drug Store under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative—Adv.

COUNCIL O. K.'S STATIONS.
After investigation by the city commissioners, petitions of the Oriental Oil company and the Magnolia Oil company asking for permits to place drive-in filling stations at Elsith and Austin and at Fifth and Vermont were granted yesterday. On account of objections by residents of these sections an investigation was made previous to the granting of the permit.



Protect Your Eyes From the Wind, Dust and Glare

See our window display for the finest line of auto and sun glasses ever shown in Waco.

Prices from 15¢ to \$5.00 a pair. See the little goggles for the children. They're just too cute for anything. At the big Electric Spectacle Sign

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GAYETY

COLORED THEATRE

TODAY

ADMISSION 5 AND 10 CENTS

Waco Spirit Is Praised by Houston Auto Visitor

"With the exception of a few sandy places, in certain counties, the roads between Houston and Waco are in a splendid condition," said Sam Kaiser, one of Houston's leading Rotarians, who, accompanied by his wife, drove through to Waco from Houston. Mr. Kaiser is a commercial artist and is also the official Rotarian artist of Houston.

"We claim that our Rotary club is the largest in the state," said Mr. Kaiser, "and we feel that it is doing a great deal for the upbuilding of the city. While my trip to Waco is not of a business nature, I have met quite a few of your representative citizens and I can say that I think Waco is fortunate in having men of such a progressive type." The Rotary club of Waco is doing big things, and from the way it looks to me, is growing fast.

Mr. and Mrs. Kaiser started on their return trip yesterday afternoon.

WACO-PALESTINE ROAD COMMITTEE MEETS THURSDAY

HOLDS CONFERENCE IN Y. M. B. L. ROOMS YESTERDAY AFTERNOON TO REVIEW PROGRESS.

To further the promotion of the proposed Palestine-Waco state railroad, a central committee composed of representatives from Waco and the towns between this city and Palestine, met in the rooms of the Y. M. B. L. at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

A conference of the committeemen was held in the forenoon but as the majority of members had not arrived the meeting was delayed until the afternoon. Three other points have been proposed for this railroad, Dallas, Shreveport or Alexandria, and it is the intention of this band of representative men to see that Waco gets the road.

The main purpose of this meeting was the appointment of a sub-committee to arrange for co-operation between the towns along the proposed line, and to arrange for an active campaign of a systematic nature. The committee appointed is as follows: D. Leon Harp, chairman of Mexia; Judge A. M. Blackmon of Groesbeck and W. W. Naman of Waco. These men will also arrange for another committee meeting to be held in the near future at Mexia.

The general committee consists of the following: D. Leon Harp of Mexia, chairman; W. F. Storey of Fairfield, Louis Schaff of Groesbeck, Robert Dupree and W. W. Naman of Waco. Others in attendance at the business meeting were E. A. Miller, Waco, chairman of committee on statistics; Roy Christian, Waco, of the committee on publicity; Fred Hill of Fairfield, Dr. David of Kirk, Mr. Pierce of Kirk, Mr. Bennett of Mexia, Mr. Jefferies of Mexia and President W. L. Edmund of Waco.

Perhaps It's Here

THE city health officer of Dallas, Charles Saville, will speak at the Central Christian church today at 3 o'clock. Mr. Saville is a well known speaker and has a talk that will be of vital interest to everyone.

The matter of placing squalor on Elm street received the attention of city councilmen at the last meeting and upon advice from City Attorney Maxwell it was deemed advisable to use it.

The city corral keeper has resigned—John Moore tendered his resignation to the city fathers at their recent meeting and it was accepted. Street Commissioner J. F. Stampf has been appointed to find a new man to guard the pound.

Instructions have been given Finance Commissioner Harlow by the city authorities to pay W. R. Orman the sum of \$125 for judgment given him in the courts for damages caused him in the opening of Bosque street.

The claim against the county for care of county small pox patients by the city, and the claim of the Fall Undertaking company for the burial of city small pox patients, were taken up in a meeting of the city councilmen, held yesterday. The first claim was referred to Mayor Dollins and Commissioners Cockcroft and Harlow, the latter claim to Commissioner Harlow.

Commissioners J. F. Stampf and J. Harlow have been detailed to investigate the advisability for the purchase of a new steam roller for use by the city. They will report at the next meeting of the city commissioners.

Finance Commissioner Harlow has been appointed to look into the matter of recording the city ordinances and will give the matter his attention at once.

The city commissioners yesterday referred the matter of sewerage in the Edgefield section, to the city health department. Some time ago a petition was sent in to the city officials by the citizens of Edgefield asking for a sanitary sewer in their section.

As a representative of the Y. M. B. L. street opening committee, R. L. Hirshfield appeared before the meeting of the city commissioners yesterday morning and asked for information in regard to the taxing of property owners affected by the opening of Seventh street from Austin to Washington. A ruling from the city attorney was obtained in which it was learned that this could not be done.

Y. M. B. L. WILL URGE BUSINESS HOUSES TO CLOSE ON APRIL 5

DESIRE GOOD SEND-OFF FOR OPENING OF BASEBALL SEASON IN WACO THEN.

If the merchants fail to close their stores for the opening of the Texas league season next April 5, they will be breaking a custom that they have followed without a single exception for the last five years, was the opinion reached at a meeting held in the Business Men's club rooms at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon by representatives from the Y. M. B. L. and Business Men's club.

After a lengthy discussion in which nearly every member took part, a motion was made and passed by the business men to reconsider their refusal to close and to issue the following statement: "We agree to close our places of business from 4 until 6 p. m. on April 5, the opening day of the Texas league, providing the committee from the Y. M. B. L. succeed in obtaining a promise from the majority of the Austin Avenue business men to do likewise."

Offer Attendance Prize.

A prize has been offered by the president of the Texas League to the town having the largest crowd in attendance, in proportion to its population, at the opening game. Every endeavor will be made by Waco to win this cup.

A statement was made by representatives of the baseball franchise owners that it was not money support that the club was asking for, but that they wanted the individual support of every citizen of Waco by having them take an active interest in the team and its games.

Colored Association in Waco Garden Campaign

The clean-up campaign is being pushed strenuously by the association for the advancement of Colored People. Talks are being made in the city schools. Prof. R. H. Hines, president of the association, talked to the teachers of the Moore high school yesterday evening and they unanimously endorsed the clean-up movement. Talks have been made to the high school pupils. The garden committee report that many renters are being induced to plant small gardens. The association is furnishing for those who need such aid. Flower seeds are being given away also. The financial teams are meeting with pleasing results even though they are able to solicit only about an hour each day. It was stated yesterday by one of the directors of the association that the solicitations will be confined principally to colored people because one of the objects of the association is to encourage self help. Among those who contributed yesterday were: J. J. Rhoads, C. H. Furlow, Rev. J. W. Burton, Dr. I. A. Gordon, Dr. W. G. Sorrell, Rev. E. J. Bowers, Dr. J. A. Russell and Charles Gregg.

Junior Commercial Club Holds Enthusiastic Meet

The board of directors of the Junior Commercial club met last night and perfected plans of the luncheon to be held at the next general meeting, April 5.

The object of this luncheon is a get-together meeting. A special committee was appointed to have patriotic cards printed and placed in all the show windows of the city. The civic improvement committee received communications from the Chamber of Commerce, Y. M. B. L., Lions' club and Mayor John Dollins, accepting their support in all their undertakings and extending their best wishes to the club. A good report was heard from the membership teams, stating that several new members had been added to the club in the last week.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Reported by Dilworth Abstract Co., Offices Basement Courthouse, Joe Johnson to W. Pierce Jr., 38x165 feet west side of South Twentieth street, \$300.

D. M. Wood to W. H. Torian, lots 10 and 11, block 13, Glenwood, \$4300.

T. R. Morris to L. M. LeFever, lot 1, block 2, N. Beall addition, \$1000.

H. P. Smiley to T. J. Stalling, lot 5, block 6, addition, \$1850.

W. A. Wilson to Mrs. P. S. Dunken, part of block 4, Van Hall addition, \$100.

W. R. Phillips to L. G. Phillips, part of block 4, Baylor, \$600.

T. Lawton, et al to S. H. Thomas, 205 acres Elridge and Charles surveys, \$18,000.

Portion Ranch to W. L. Page, tract 1, Custer, Hays, \$1150.

Total consideration, \$28,805.

"Wild Bird Quests," by Baynes, Mr.

Big Pre-Easter Sale of Women's and Misses' Suits

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Suits That sold regularly from \$39.75 to \$49.75 **at \$35.00**

Suits That sold regularly from \$52.50 to \$65.00 **at \$45.00**

Suits That sold regularly from \$67.50 to \$79.50 **at \$50.00**

Suits That sold regularly from \$85.00 to \$95.50 **at \$60.00**

Models of Gros de Londre, Khaki Kool, Taffeta, Yosan Poiret Twill, Gabardine, Poplin, Velour, Checks, Burella, Gunniburl, Serge and other fashionable materials. These Suits go one sale with the opening of the store this morning.



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Two Days Sale Only, Today and Saturday

We place on sale this morning two hundred and seventy-five pairs of Women's White Canvas Pumps, Oxfords and Strap Slippers. These are in small and broken sizes. Regular prices to \$3.50. Special for two days only, at a pair 95c.

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All Charge Purchases Made Today and Saturday Will Be Entered on April Accounts

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Affirmative Side Wins in Speaker's Debate

By a vote of four to one the decision of members at the Speakers club last night went to the affirmative side, the question of the debate being "Resolved, that the state of Texas should abolish capital punishment."

Speakers supporting the question were T. J. Conway and T. Edgar Johnson, while those opposed were John Erhard, Jr., and Warren Wood Hunt. Mr. Erhard received special mention as the best speaker on the debate. E. R. Miller acted as critic.

Roy Christian was present and delivered the oration of the evening. E. H. Stendam was a visitor and favored the club with a nice talk.

BOOKS ON BIRDS AT LIBRARY.

In connection with the celebration of Bird Day, which commemorates the birthday of John Burroughs, April 3, the public library calls attention to new books added. The list below includes a few books already in the library and number of pamphlets relating especially to birds in Texas:

"Bird Stories" by Cooke. A detailed bulletin issued by the United States department of agriculture.

"Use and Value of Wild Birds to Texas Farmers," by H. P. Attwater. An illustrated bulletin prepared by Mr. Attwater and issued by the Texas department of agriculture.

"Birds of Texas," by Strecker.

Payne, who is an authority on the subject, writes entertainingly of "how to entertain the wild birds." He gives rules and constitutions for the forming of bird clubs.

"Bird Stories from Burroughs," Sketches of bird life taken from the works of John Burroughs.

Bulletins issued by the United States department of agriculture: "Bird Houses and How to Build Them."

"Some Common Birds Useful to the Farmer," "Foods of Some Well Known Birds of Forest, Farm and Garden."

"Our Grosbeaks and Their Value to Agriculture," "Some Common Game, Aquatic and Rapacious Birds in Relation to Man."

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